

HARRINGTON WADDELL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parent or Guardian of Rising 6th Grade Student:

Effective July 1, 2006, all students in Virginia must receive a booster dose of Tdap vaccine prior to entering sixth grade if at least five years have passed since the last dose of tetnus toxoid-containing vaccine (DTP, DTaP, DT, or TD).

Please check your child's immunization records carefully. If your child is required to have a Tdap booster, we ask that your child receive it, and that you provide documentation to Lylburn Downing Middle School prior to August 14, 2017. This documentation can be a copy of your child's immunization record, or a note from your physician listing the date of his or her most recent Tdap booster shot.

The Tdap booster can be obtained from your child's physician. Immunizations required for school are also available at the Lexington- Rockbridge Health Department by appointment. **Sixth graders cannot begin school in the fall without documentation of having had the Tdap booster.**

If you have any questions feel free to contact me at 540-463-5353.

Sincerely,

Rebekah Smith, School Nurse